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Register.

MIDDLEBURY, VT. SEPTEMBER 28, 1877.

"Midget, gypsy, big-cycit elf,
Little Kitty Clover,
What have you been playing at
For an hour and over?
Where have you been wandering,
In the name of wonder?
Weren't you rightened at the wind?
Are you in a fairy's cave
While the ratu was failing,
With your cars sewn tightly up,
Not to hear me calling?
Who has taught your hair to cur??
Where's your apron, duty girl?" "Now my brains is all mixed up. Got too big a headful—

tiot too big a headful—
Fifteen questions at a time
Mixes me up dresidhd;
Course, I been a visiting—
I and Rainy Weather—
Sure to find the birds at home
When we go together;
Guess my cars was full of songs,
Why I didn't hear you;
Else because you stayed at home,
I'd got too far from near you,
Once some little things said low,
'Mamma wants you, Lu, I know.' "Spect it was that funny bird.
That kept and kept a singing,
While the rain was coming down
And thunder-bell was ringing.
Oh! yes, goosie bird, I said,
"Bains like sixty-seven,
And your song!! get so wet.
It can't fly up to heaven.
Did yon swallow it one day,
When you was a drinking?
Is it all the talk you've get,
Or only just your thinking?
Or do songs some up and sprout,
And rain makes 'em blossom out?

"Then the bird came close to me—Mamma, he did truly—
Said: "I never told before,
But I'll tell you, Ealy,
One day God was tired of heaven
And the angels ainging
Thought their harps were out of time,
Made such awful dinging;
So he sang a piece of song,
Put some feathers' round it,
Then he threw it in a tree
Where a bird's name found it;
And he mixed the song and name
Till they grew the very same."

"Mamma, what you smiling at'
Hadn't you better hold me?
I'll be tired a saying through
What the birdle told me;
God sends word down by the rain
When he wants to hear him—
That is why the whisper-drops
Timkle by so near him;
Should you think his song would lose?
I can tell you better!
It don't have so far to go
As my grandma's letter;
Earth and heaven so close apart
God can catch it in his heart.

"Twas the wind that curied my hairDidn't he fix it funny?
Combed and twisted if like this
"Thout a speck of meney;
Where's my apren? let me see!
I must flink it over!
Praid you've got a manghly gir!
For your Killy Clover,
Cause I gave that to the brook
Will the big stone in it,
Where it has to run across
Every little minute—
Covere! em all dry and nent,
So my brook won't wet its feet!"
—[Carrie W. Tompson, in the Indepen

times they rode, sometimes walked and gathered shells; frequently he read to her, and oftener still they sang together. Both possessed rare voices, and usually the twilight hour at Woodbine

PIANOS AND ORGANS.
From E. Parson, Brockville, Ramans.
The plane came safely seaterlar, we find it as they rode, sometimes walked and gathered shells; frequently he read to the plane of t

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Never talk of disagreeable things at your table, but let the conversation be kind, genial, social and cheering. The more good company you have at your more good company you have at your table, the better for your children. Every conversation with company at your table is an educator of the family. Hence the intelligence and the refinement and the appropriate behavior of a family which is given to hospitality. Never feel that intelligent visitors can be anything but a blessing to you and yours. How few have fully gotten hold of the feet that company and appropriate feet that company are seen to be a seen as a of the fact that company and conversation are no small part of education!

Self-made men are apt to worship their maker.

The first sporting paper was published in England in 1683, and was called the Jockey's Intelligencer. The first medical paper ceme out in 1686.

The kind of flower oftenest raised by the mothers of unruly boys—The bility and weakness, and now the "lady's slipper."

MIDDLEBURY. VT. SEPTEMBER 28, 1877.

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cocked and in his hand, now cold and stiff. He had entered the house by knocking the kitchen window in with an ax, which luckily he kept with him until the unguarded moment. The dead body of the robber was brought to Rushville last night, and has been lying in the Court House yard all day, where it was seen by hundreds of people.

"Julius, was you ever in business?" "Of course I was."
"What business?"

"A sugar planter."
"When was that, my colored friend?"
"De day I planted dat old sweetheart

Woman's Temperance Column.

The Lord of Hosts is with us, the God of Jacob is our refuge."

At the recent Boston Temperance Convention, Miss Frances E. Willard, who has been assisting in the meetings there very efficiently, related the fol-lowing interesting incident, in which Mrs. Leavitt, a Christian lady of Cin-cinnati, was a chief actor:

Recent Pompeian Discoveries.

That comparatively so little of the reasures of the Pompeiani is found is

when the grace of God will show its power here, not only to save man's soul, but his body, and reconstruct, purify, elevate, and redeem.—[Select-

Intoxicating liquor still robs the church. A fine looking, scholarly genchurch. A line looking, scholarly gen-tleman recently visited a physician for consultation. He had been the pastor of a certain church, but had been com-pelled to resign. Just before he had been seen under the influence of liquor in the lowest saloons, and this was the third church he had left for the same cause. He is a man of more than or-dinary ability, was especially popular, and it has almost broken the hearts of his best friends to be obliged to demand his resignation. He began the use of stimulants on account of nervous irritatite for them atterly overmasters him